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Applicant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al : Paper No.:  
Serial No.: 09/582,808 : Group Art Unit: 1641  
Filed: October 16, 2000 : Examiner: G. Counts

For: **Analytical Method Using Particles and Test Kit for Performing the Method**

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116 in the above identified application.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated February 24, 2004, Applicants request reconsideration of the patentability of the present claims.

**An Amendment to the Claims** is set forth in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.